## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

**U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement** 

[OMB Control Number 1653-0046]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Extension, Without Change, of a Currently Approved Collection: Electronic Bonds Online (eBonds) Access

**AGENCY:** U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Department of Homeland Security. **ACTION:** 60-Day notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on this proposed extension of a currently approved collection of information. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, this information collection notice is published in the *Federal Register* to obtain comments regarding the nature of the information collection, the categories of respondents, the estimated burden (i.e., the time, effort, and resources used by the respondents to respond), the estimated cost to the respondent, and the actual information collection instruments.

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until [insert date 60 days after date of the publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER].

**ADDRESSES:** All submissions received must include the OMB Control Number 1653-0046 in the body of the correspondence, the agency name and Docket ID ICEB-2009-0006. All comments received will be posted without change to <a href="https://www.regulations.gov">https://www.regulations.gov</a>, including any personal information provided.

(1) Online. Submit comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal website at <a href="https://www.regulations.gov">https://www.regulations.gov</a> under e-Docket ID number ICEB-2009-0006.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have questions related to this collection please contact: Carl Albritton, ERO Bond Management Unit, (202) 732-5918,

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## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

## Comment

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

- (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

## **Overview of This Information Collection**

- (1) Type of Information Collection: Extension of a Currently Approved Collection.
- (2) Title of the Form/Collection: Electronic Bonds Online (eBonds) Access.
- (3) Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Homeland Security sponsoring the collection: I-352SA/I-352RA; U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement.
- (4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract: Primary: Individual or Households, Business or other non-profit. The information collection is necessary for ICE to grant access to eBonds and to notify the public of the duties and responsibilities associated with accessing eBonds. The I-352SA and the I-352RA are the two instruments used to collect the information associated with this collection. The I-352SA is completed by a Surety that

currently holds a Certificate of Authority to act as a Surety on Federal bonds and details the

requirements for accessing eBonds as well as the documentation, in addition to the I-352SA and

I-352RA, which the Surety must submit prior to being granted access to eBonds. The I-352RA

provides notification that eBonds is a Federal government computer system and as such users

must abide by certain conduct guidelines to access eBonds and the consequences if such

guidelines are not followed.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an

average respondent to respond: 50 responses at 30 minutes (.50 hours) per response.

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: 25 annual

burden hours.

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